

REMARKS/ARGUMENTS

Claims 11-40 remain in this application.

Double Patenting

Claims 11-40 were rejected under the judicially created doctrine of obviousness-type double patenting as being unpatentable over claims 1-20 of U.S. Patent No. 6,410,062. See page 2 of the Office Action. Applicants submit herewith an appropriate terminal disclaimer. Accordingly, Applicants respectfully request that this rejection be withdrawn.

Conclusion

For the foregoing reasons, the present application is in condition for allowance. Accordingly, favorable reconsideration of the amended claims in light of the above remarks and an early Notice of Allowance are courteously solicited. If the Examiner has any comments or suggestions that could place this application in even better form, the Examiner is requested to telephone the undersigned Attorney at the below-listed number.

If there are any other fees due in connection with the filing of this response, please charge the fees to our Deposit Account No. 10-0750/ROC0026DIV1/WEM.

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